

## 96519 to 96527—Continued

A tree with 3- to 5-lobed cordate serrulate leaves 2 to 6 inches long, native to Manchuria and Chosen. The small flowers are in slender pendulous racemes 3 to 4 inches long and are followed by winged fruits which spread almost horizontally.

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96521. *DAPHNIPHYLLUM GLAUSCENS* Blume. Euphorbiaceae.

An East Indian tree with entire oblong-lanceolate leaves, inconspicuous flowers, and fleshy drupes.

96522. *DAPHNIPHYLLUM MACROPODUM* Miquel. Euphorbiaceae.

An evergreen shrub with elliptic-oblong, dark-green leathery leaves 5 to 8 inches long, inconspicuous flowers, and small ellipsoidal fruits in axillary racemes 3 inches long. Native to eastern Asia.

96523. *IRIS MINUTA* Franch. and Sav. Iridaceae.

A curious little yellow-flowered beardless iris, apparently only known as a cultivated plant in Japan, but said to grow wild in Chosen (Korea). The flowers, which appear in April or May, have short, pale-yellow standards, and the rounded falls are marked with brown. The leaves are short at flowering time, but eventually reach a height of about 12 inches.

96524. *LEUCOTHOE KEISKEI* Miquel. Ericaceae.

A slender spreading evergreen Japanese shrub with ovate-oblong remotely crenate-serrate leaves 1 to 3 inches long and axillary and terminal racemes of large white cylindrical flowers closely resembling the American *L. racemosa*.

96525 to 96527. *RHODODENDRON* spp. Ericaceae.96525. *RHODODENDRON RETICULATUM* D. Don. (*R. dilatatum* Miquel).

A much-branched deciduous Japanese shrub up to 25 feet high belonging to the section *Sciadorhodion*. The branchlets are yellow brown; the reticulate broadly ovate leaves, 2 to 3 inches long, are in clusters of 2 to 3, and the slightly 2-lipped, rotate-campanulate flowers are rose purple to magenta. There are two forms—the ordinary form with 10 stamens, often called *R. rhombicum*, and a form with 5 stamens called *R. dilatatum*.

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96526. *RHODODENDRON* sp.96527. *RHODODENDRON* sd.

## 96528 and 96529.

From England. Plants purchased from V. N. Gauntlett & Co. Ltd., Japanese Nurseries, Chiddingfold, Surrey. Received February 8, 1932.

96528. *LONICERA CHAETOCARPA* Rehder. Caprifoliaceae. Honeysuckle.

An upright shrub about 6 feet high, native to western China, with oblong leaves, nodding yellowish flowers, and red fruits.

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## 96528 and 96529—Continued

96529. *LONICERA PYRENAICA* L. Caprifoliaceae. Pyrenees honeysuckle.

A small upright shrub 3 to 4 feet high, native to southern Europe. The leaves are ovate to oblong, blue-green above and whitish below, and the nodding flowers, on slender stalks, are pinkish white and nearly an inch long. The subglobose berries are red.

96530 to 97251. *SOJA MAX* (L.) Piper (*Glycine hispida* Maxim.). Fabaceae. Soybean.

From Chosen. Seeds arranged for by the Dorsett and Morse expedition and sent through the American consulate at Tokyo, Japan. Received February 6, 1932.

A collection of soybeans presented by the Seisen Shijo (western branch) of the Agricultural Experiment Station of the Chosen Government, Shariin, October 24, 1931.

Notes by W. J. Morse.

96530 and 96531. Medium size, straw-yellow with brown hilum.

96530. No. 8649. Station no. 679.

96531. No. 8650. Station no. 680. Little purple spot.

96532. No. 8651. Station no. 681. Medium large, straw-yellow with dark-brown hilum; slightly mottled with brown.

96533. No. 8652. Station no. 682. Medium small, straw- to olive-yellow with brown hilum; mottled with dark brown.

96534. No. 8653. Station no. 683. Medium small, straw-yellow with brown hilum; heavily mottled with dark brown.

96535. No. 8654. Station no. 684. Medium size, straw-yellow with light-brown hilum.

96536 and 96537. Medium size, straw-yellow with brown hilum.

96536. No. 8655. Station no. 685. Mottled with brown.

96537. No. 8656. Station no. 686. Slightly flattened.

96538. No. 8657. Station no. 687. Medium size, straw-yellow with a light-brown hilum.

96539. No. 8658. Station no. 688. Medium-size, straw-yellow with pale hilum; heavily mottled with brown.

96540. No. 8659. Station no. 689. Medium size, straw-yellow with pale hilum; heavily mottled with brown; more or less purple spot.

96541. No. 8660. Station no. 690. Medium size, straw-yellow with brown hilum; heavily mottled with brown.

96542. No. 8661. Station no. 691. Medium small, straw-yellow with brown hilum.

96543 and 96544. Medium size, straw-yellow with brown hilum; slightly mottled with brown.

96543. No. 8662. Station no. 692.

96544. No. 8663. Station no. 693.